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In re Application of:

Jim Morrow et al.

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Title:

INTEGRATED DISPLAY AND INPUT SYSTEM

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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

This is responsive to the final Office Action of July 18, 2003, and is timely filed with a one-month extension.

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

Claims 1-138 are pending in the present application. In the present Office Action, claims 1-138 stand rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a) as being unpatentable only in view of the single reference, Raven et al. (U.S. Patent No. 5,429,361). No new claims have been added. Claims 1, 16, 41-43, 68-69, 83-84, 100-102, 114, 135-and 138 have been amended. No claims have been deleted. Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the rejected claims. Applicants respectfully contend that the differences between the claimed invention and the prior art are such that the claimed invention is patentably distinct over the prior art.